

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

ANTOINE SHAWN WILLIAMS,

Petitioner,

v.

ROBERT GILMORE, *et al.*,

Respondents.

CIVIL ACTION
NO. 18-3037

ORDER

AND NOW, this 21st day of March, 2019, upon consideration of the Report and Recommendation filed by United States Magistrate Judge Timothy R. Rice, (ECF No. 7), and Antoine Shawn Williams's objections thereto, (ECF No. 14), it is hereby

ORDERED that:

1. Williams's objections are **OVERRULED** and Magistrate Judge Rice's Report and Recommendation is **APPROVED** and **ADOPTED**;
2. Williams's Petition for a Writ of *Habeas Corpus*, (ECF No. 1), is **DENIED** and **DISMISSED** with prejudice;
3. No certificate of appealability shall issue¹;
4. Williams's Motion to Compel Discovery, (ECF No. 9), is **DENIED**;
5. Williams's Motion for Appointment of Counsel, (ECF No. 13), is **DENIED** and
6. This case shall be **CLOSED** for statistical purposes.

¹ No reasonable jurist would disagree with the Court's disposition of petitioner's claims. *See Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 484 (2000).

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Gerald J. Pappert

GERALD J. PAPPERT, J.